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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Information Systems Security Group/OS
Chief, Communications Security Division/OC

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Information Handling Systems Architect

SUBJECT: IHS Security

1. In preparing the draft of the Strategic Plan for Information Handling Systems, we have become very sensitive to the security implications of many of the proposed programs and projects.

2. It would be most helpful if you would present an informal briefing for my staff describing the security issues which you perceive might be most troublesome in achieving the IHS goals, the present policies now relevant to these issues, and the policy gaps which need to be filled.

3. Your views on several technical initiatives which are of particular interest to us are also solicited. Foremost among these are the use of an unencrypted bus, connection to outside information services such as news wire services and data bases, data base compartmentation for multiple user access, and user identification.

4. Please call to arrange a mutually agreeable time and place for the briefing.

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